



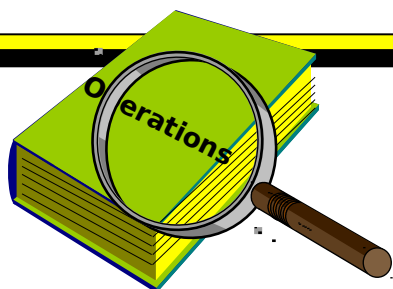
# Joint Doctrine Comment Procedures

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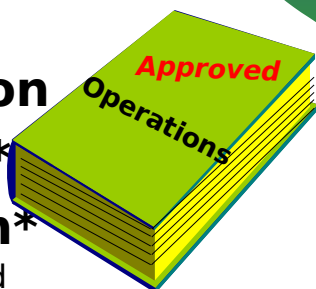
# Basic Doctrine Development Cycle



- Pub Assessment
- Changes
- Revisions
- Change Notices
- Cancellation or

- Supersession
- Approval Authority
- Printing
- Distribution
- Test Pubs\*
- Evaluation\*

\* If Required



APPROVAL

MAINTENANCE

ENTRY  
POINT

INITIATION

VALIDATION

DEVELOPMENT



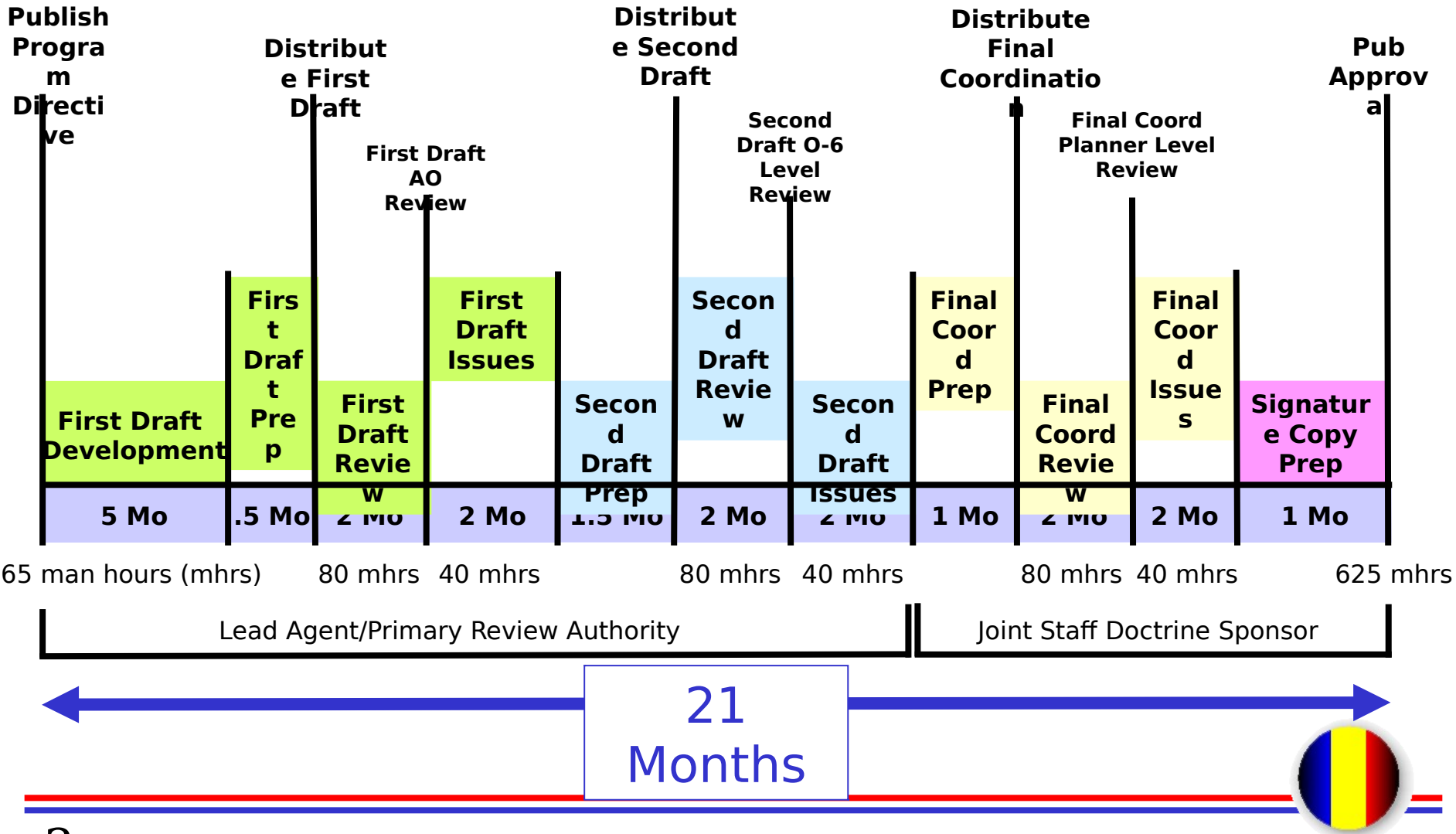
- Proposal
- Front-end Analysis
- Request for Feedback
- Validation

PROGRAM  
DIRECTIVE  
(Contract)

- Program Directive
- Draft Development
- Issue Resolution
- Development Status



# Doctrine Development Timelines



# Doctrine Reviews



- **Request for Feedback**
  - Open ended, general comments
- **Program Directive**
  - Focus on scope and chapter outline
- **Revision First & Second Draft...**
  - General comments
  - Line in / line out
  - No administrative comments
- **Final Coordinating Draft**
  - Less tolerance for general ~~comments~~
  - Line in / **line out**
  - Administrative comments accepted
- **Signature Draft**



# Comment Types



- **C - Critical** (Contentious issue that will cause non-concurrence with publication)
- **M - Major** (Incorrect material that may cause non-concurrence with publication)
- **S - Substantive** (Factually incorrect material)
- **A - Administrative** (grammar, punctuation, style, etc.)



# Comment Matrix



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JP X-xx, Title, version

ITEM	#	SOURCE	TYPE	PAGE	PARA	LINE	COMMENT	RATIONALE	DECISION (A/R/M)
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# Column 5 - PAGE



- Page numbers expressed in decimal form using the following convention:
- (Page I-2 = 1.02, Page IV-56 = 4.56, etc.) Enables proper sorting.
  - 0 - General Comments
  - 0.xx - Preface, TOC, Executive Summary (Page i = 0.01, Page xi = 0.11)
  - 1.xx - Chapter I
  - 2.xx - Chapter II
  - 3.xx - Chapter III
  - x.xx - Chapter x, etc.
  - 51.xx - Appendix A
  - 52.xx - Appendix B
  - 52.01.xx - Annex A to Appendix B
  - 53.xx - Appendix C, etc.
  - 99.xx - Glossary
- Range of pages: I-2 to I-7 = 1.02 - 1.07 but, put an “enter” after the first page number to allow proper sorting.



# Column 6 - PARA



- Paragraph number that pertains to the comment expressed. (i.e. 4a, 6g, etc.)
- No need to show further punctuation:  
4.a.(1)(e) = 4a1e
- **NOTE:** An entry in this column must be used when commenting on draft program directives. An entry is optional for comments on draft joint publications.





# Column 7 - LINE



- **Line 1=1**  
**Lines 4-5 = 4.05,**  
**Lines 7-12 = 7.12,**  
**Lines 45-67 = 45.67**
- **Figure II-2 = F2.02**  
**For appendices, use the "F" and the**  
**appendix letter with the figure number:**  
**appendix D, figure 3 = FD.03**  
**appendix C, annex A, figure 7 = FCA.07**



# General Comment



C	0			<p>General Comment.</p> <p>Chapter I contains much information that is redundant to JP 1 and JP 0-2. Those sections should be removed from JP 3-0 allowing this pub to focus on Joint Operations. Recommend combining chapter's I and II into a chapter I titled, Fundamentals of Joint Operations. Specifically, delete the following sections of Chapter I: Security Environment and Strategic Guidance and Considerations. The new Chapter I would then have the following outline:</p> <p>CHAPTER I FUNDAMENTALS OF JOINT OPERATIONS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Principles</li> <li>• Levels of War</li> <li>• Range of Military Operations</li> <li>• Termination of Operations</li> <li>• Unified Action</li> <li>• Organizing the Joint Force</li> <li>• Organizing the Operational Areas</li> </ul>	<p>Clarity.</p> <p>One of the primary objectives we discussed during the JWGs was eliminating redundancies between pubs and providing "hooks" and "links" as required to the governing pubs. Additionally, JP 1 is under revision now and JP 0-2 is being considered for consolidation into JP 1.</p> <p>The remaining comments regarding portions of recommended deleted sections are still provided if this recommendation is not accepted.</p>
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# Example Comment



Command:

Change to read, change as follows, insert, delete, replace, move, res

S□	1.03□	2a5 and 7□	22.23¶ 29.30□	<p>Change as follows:¶</p> <p>(5) <u>The Department of Defense, allies, coalition partners,</u> and <u>OGAs</u> should be fully integrated <u>throughout all phases of operations and</u> <del>during the planning and subsequent</del> employment of forces by joint force commanders (<u>JFCs</u>).¶</p> <p><del>(7) <u>Allies and coalition partners are available and integrated</u></del> <u>early in the planning process.</u>¶</p> <p>□</p>	<p>Accuracy.¶</p> <p>The early integration and involvement of <u>OGAs</u> and Coalition forces must become an automatic event in all future operations.¶</p> <p>Due to the highly politically influenced environment we will face, <u>OGAs</u> and Coalition forces will be able to assist in the development and early shaping of the battlefield environment.□</p>
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Rationale:

Accuracy, correctness, clarity, grammar, spelling, consistency, completeness, readability, redundant



# Example Comment



## Range of pages

M□	1.11¶ -¶ 1.12□	3.a.¶ ¶ □	19.44¶ -¶ 1.09¶ □	Change to Read: ¶ ¶ a. <b>General.</b> The <u>United States</u> employs its military capabilities at home and abroad in support of our national ¶ security goals in a variety of operations (Figure I-3). These operation <u>range</u> ing in size, purpose, and combat intensity within <u>the a</u> range of military operations that extends from <b>military engagement, security cooperation, and deterrence</b> to crisis response contingencies and, if necessary, <b>major operations and campaigns</b> (Figure I-4). <b>Prudent u</b> -Use of <u>these joint</u> capabilities in <b>military engagement, security cooperation, and deterrence</b> activities helps keep the day-to-day tensions between nations or groups below the threshold of	<b>Clarity.</b> ¶ ¶ Readability. We want to convey to the reader that there is no longer a distinction between the type of operation and whether it is combat or <u>noncombat</u> . □
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# Example Comment



## “Global” find and replace

S	0.09		25	Change to read: “...integration of surface-to-surface <a href="#">indirect</a> fires with air-to-surface.”	Soldiers subdivide surface-to-surface fires into “direct” and “indirect.” Direct fires across boundaries are authorized (when ROE and PID criteria are met), while indirect fires are not – without coordination.
	1.01		6	Continue to insert “ <a href="#">indirect</a> ” in all further instances in the publication.	
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